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Title : Fixing Holder for Fixing Electronic Component Having
Wire-Shaped Leg Portions to Printed Circuit Board, and
Fixing Method Utilizing The Same

REPLY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office

Action dated June 15, 2005.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.